MR. C. V. CHANDRASEKHARAN (*Ag. Director of Public Instruction*): No, Sir.

The Kallara-Aruvipuram trace.

128. *MR. S. J. NAIR (*Nedumangad*): Will the Government be pleased to state :

(*a*) the area of the Vamanapuram, Nellanad and Pullanpara *pakuthies*, separately and put together ;

(*b*) the *pakuthi*-war, as well as total, population of the above *pakuthies* ;

(*c*) the extent and the names of the roads that exist in those *pakuthies* ;

(*d*) whether they are aware that the eastern portions of the above *pakuthies* are malaria-affected ;

(*e*) whether they are aware that the above *pakuthies* are thickly populated ;

(*f*) whether they are aware that the Kallara- Aruvipuram trace lies across the above *pakuthies* ; and

(*g*) why this trace is not converted into a cart road ?

MR. G. B. E. TRUSCOTT (*Chief Engineer, Roads, Buildings and Irrigation*) :

(*a*) & (*b*)

		Area in Square miles.	*Population.*
Vamanapuram	...	29·71	14,001
Nellanad	..	7·12	6,638
Pullanpara	..	13·74	7,278
Total	...	50·57	27,917

(*c*) 1. M. C. Road 3¾ miles.
2. Venjaramood road 6½ miles,
3. Venjaramood-Attingal road 2 miles.

Total 12¼ miles.

(*d*) Only the eastern portions of Vamanapuram and Pullanpara *pakuthies* are affected by malaria.

(*e*) No.

(*f*) Yes.

(*g*) Because the lands have not been handed over as promised by the people and the road not formed as per Ryots' Roads Rules.

MR. S. J. NAIR (*Nedumangad*): With reference to part (*d*) of the question, may I ask whether the roads referred to pass throughout the length of these *pakuthies* ?

MR. G. B. E. TRUSCOTT (*Chief Engineer, Roads, Buildings and Irrigation*): I have no information on that.

MR. S. J. NAIR (*Nedumangad*): May I know whether the Government are aware that the conversion of the Kallara-Aruvipuram trace will benefit the inhabitants of these *pakuthies* ?

MR. G. B. E. TRUSCOTT (*Chief Engineer, Roads, Buildings and Irrigation*): I do not know that.

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MR. S. J. NAIR (*Nedumangad*) : May I know whether the Kallara-Aruvipuram trace lies across the *pakuthies* ?

MR. G. B. E. TRUSCOTT (*Chief Engineer, Roads, Buildings and Irrigation*) : Yes.

MR. S. J. NAIR (*Nedumangad*) : May I know whether the Government will enquire whether this trace, if converted into a road, will benefit them ?

PRESIDENT : It is a question of future action.

MR. S. J. NAIR (*Nedumangad*) : May I know whether Government are aware that the member for Nedumangad has undertaken to see that the people surrender the land free of compensation ?

MR. G. B. E. TRUSCOTT (*Chief Engineer, Roads, Buildings and Irrigation*) I do not know.

M S. J. NAIR (*Nedumangad*) : May I know whether the member is aware that the people are ready to surrender land free of compensation ?

MR. G B. E. TRUSCOTT (*Chief Engineer, Roads, Buildings and Irrigation*) : Yes.

Malaria Relief Works.

129. *MR. S. J. NAIR (*Nedumangad*) : Will the Government be pleased to state :

(*a*) what all malaria relief works were executed or are pending execution in the Neyyattinkara taluk ;

(*b*) what it has actually cost the Government to carry out the malaria relief works in the Neyyattinkara taluk ;

(*c*) what all malaria relief works were executed or are pending execution in the Nedumangad taluk ;

(*d*) what it has actually cost the Government to carry out the malaria relief works in the Nedumangad taluk ;

(*e*) how many *pakuthies* in Neyyattinkara and how many in Nedumangad are affected by malaria ; and

(*f*) what are those *pakuthies* and their area and population respectively ?

MR. G. B. E. TRUSCOTT (*Chief Engineer, Roads, Buildings and Irrigation*) : (*a*) A *list of the road works undertaken and proposed to be undertaken is placed on the table.

(*b*) Rs. 4,700, till 8-11-1935.

(*c*) None.

(*d*) This does not arise in view of the answer to part (*c*).

(*e*) Six *pakuthies* in the Neyyattinkara and seven *pakuthies* in Nedumangad taluk.

(*f*) The list of the *pakuthies* showing their area and population is also placed on the table.

MR. S. J. NAIR (*Nedumangad*) : With reference to part (*b*), may I know whether there were representations from the public as well as from the member for the taluk that the malaria relief works should be undertaken to benefit the stricken patients ?

**Vide* Appendix I.

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